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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application in the names of:

**Chan KIM of Taejon, Republic of Korea;**  
**Tae-Whan YOO of Taejon, Republic of Korea; and**  
**Jong-Hyun LEE of Taejon, Republic of Korea,**

for **MULTICASTING APPARATUS AND METHOD IN SHARED MEMORY SWITCH**. The application comprises a 29-page specification including 11 claims (5 independents) and Abstract, 8 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-5), and a Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The above-mentioned applicants qualify for small entity status.

Accompanying this application for filing are:

- (1) Assignment document, cover sheet and **\$40.00** fee for recordation of Assignment;
- (2) Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 form and copies of references; and
- (3) A certified copy of **Korean** Application No. **2000-83269**, filed **December 27, 2000**, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown:

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Total Claims= <u>11</u> ;	in excess of 20 = 0 x (\$09.00) =
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A check in the amount of **\$475.00**, is enclosed to cover the Total Filing Fee and an Assignment Recordation Fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees set forth in Sections 1.16 or 1.17 during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment, to deposit Account No. 06-1358. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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